Creation of posts in Union Territory of Pondicherry

961. SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) how many posts have been created in the Union Territory of Pondicherry in anticipation of clearance from the Central Government in the light of the ban order existing from 1984 onwards with the department-wise break-up figures;

(b) whether the administration is taking steps to fill up the posts in view of the new guidelines issued by the Central Government; and

(c) if so, when the process is likely to start?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Funds for creation of posts in Union Territory of Pondicherry

962. SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Planning Commission have cleared any proposal sent by the Government of Pondicherry for creation of posts in the various departments for the financial year 1984-85 and 1985-86; and

(b) if so, how many posts have been cleared and how much funds were allocated for the same department-wise and year-wise and how many posts have been filled up so far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) and (b) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Vacant Teaching posts in Inner Service Training Institute NDA

963. SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIYA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that posts of 50 teachers, 10 readers and 6 professors are lying vacant for over three years in the Inter Service Training Institute, National Defence Academy, Khadakvasla;

(b) whether it is also a fact that no promotions, regular or *ad hoc* have been made since January, 1983 and a number of Instructors have retired without getting due promotions; and

(c) if so, what are the reasons therefor, stating the extent to which the deficiency in the academic staff has reflected upon the training of cadets at the Academy and what steps have been taken by Government to fill up the vacancies and to ensure timely promotions to the eligible persons to remove frustration among the staff?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARUN SINGH): (a) to (c) The posts of 37 Lecturers, 8 Readers, 6 Professors and 1 Vice-Principal have not been filled on a regular basis. This has been due to the ban on recruitment and issues arising out of the enforcement of UGC qualifications. The deficiencies have been met by appointing Lecturers on an *ad hoc* basis.

Reclamation of wasteland in the Country

964. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total area of wasteland which has been reclaimed till June, 1986; and

(b) what is the total amount of money allocated for this purpose and the amount spent?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI Z. R. ANSARI): (a) It is estimated that 7.75 million ha. of wasteland have been afforested till June, 1986.

(b) The total amount allocated including States' share till the year 1986-87 is Rs. 1594.56 crores, that of which it is estimated that Rs. 1215 crores have been spent till June, 1986.

दक्षिण भारत में संसद के अधिवेशन का आयोजन

965. **श्री राम चन्द्र विकल** : क्या संसदीय कार्य मंत्री 4 मई, 1984 को राज्य सभा में अतारांकित प्रश्न संख्या 820 के दिए गए उत्तर को देखेंगे और यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार ने देश की एकता को ध्यान में रखते हुए छह महीने के लिए संसद का अधिवेशन दक्षिण भारत (बंगलौर) में आयोजित करने का निर्णय ले लिया है ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो इस संबंध में ब्यौरा क्या है ; और

(ग) यदि नहीं, तो उसके क्या कारण है ?

संसदीय कार्य तथा खाद्य और नागरिक पूर्ति मंत्री (श्री एच. के. एल. भगत) : (क) अभी सरकार का दिल्ली से बाहर संसद के किसी सत्र के आयोजन का कोई विचार नहीं है ।

(ख) और (ग) प्रश्न नहीं उठता ।

Failure of HAL to design combat Aircraft

966. SHRI PARVATHANENI UPENDRA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Hindustan Aeronautics Limited has failed to design a wholly Indian combat aircraft during the 30 years of its working;

(b) if so, the details of the projects regarding designing and manufacturing of combat aircraft taken up by Hindustan Aeronautics Limited; and

(c) by when a wholly Indian combat aircraft is likely to be produced by the Hindustan Aeronautics Limited?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE PRODUCTION AND DEFENCE SUPPLIES (SHRI SUKH RAM): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) M/s Hindustan Aeronautics Ltd. (HAL) have indigenously designed and produced a combat aircraft, viz., HF-24 (Marut), which had been in service for more than 15 years. Presently HAL is a major participant in the project undertaken by the Aeronautical Development Agency for the design and development of a 'Light Combat Aircraft'.

राजभाषा के प्रगामी प्रयोग हेतु वार्षिक कार्यक्रम

967. **श्री जगदंबी प्रसाद यादव** : क्या गृह मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि राजभाषा के प्रगामी प्रयोग का कार्यक्रम जो सभी मंत्रालयों, संस्थानों तथा विभागों को 31 मार्च, 1986 तक मिल जाना चाहिए था ताकि उसका कार्यान्वयन 13 अप्रैल, 1986 से आरम्भ किया जा सकता, जून के अन्त तक प्रकाशित किया जा सका;

(ख) यदि हां, तो उसके क्या कारण है ;

(ग) क्या यह सच है कि राजभाषा की संसदीय समिति का न तो अध्यक्ष है और न उपाध्यक्ष और न ही तीन समितियों में से दो में संयोजक ही है और न ही राजभाषा विभाग इस संबंध में कोई व्यवस्था ही कर रहा है ;

(घ) क्या यह भी सच है कि टाइपराइटरों जैसी सुविधाएं नहीं है और किसी भी मंत्रालय/विभाग में न तो पर्याप्त संख्या में हिन्दी के टकक है और न ही आशुलिपिक ; और

(ङ) यदि हां, तो सरकार किस प्रकार से स्थिति में सुधार करने का विचार रखती है ?